



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: GARY L. CURTIS ET AL.
APPLICATION NO.: 09/921,840
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FOR: **SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING A
WORKPIECE**

EXAMINER: YEWEBDAR T.
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CONF. NO: 8293

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 03/21/2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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